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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM SECRETARY, EXDIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, US, SA

SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO PRINCE FAHD

1. DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM ME TO PRINCE FAHD AT  
EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

2. BEGIN TEXT: YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS:

YOUR TIRELESS EFFORTS OVER THE PAST WEEKS AND YOUR HELPFUL  
ADVICE WERE IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SUCCESS OF THE  
EVACUATION OF AMERICANS AND OTHERS FROM BEIRUT. AS YOU HAVE  
SAID, THE SINGLE AND OVERRIDING AIM HAD TO BE A SAFE  
EVACUATION. THIS AIM HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED, AND I AM  
DEEPLY GRATEFUL TO YOU FOR THE HELP YOU GAVE SO GENEROUSLY  
TO MAKE IT POSSIBLE.

WARM REGARDS,

HENRY A. KISSINGER. END TEXT. KISSINGER  
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